

NEWS

Granite City man dies in accident at Scott AFB

By Mark Hodapp
Staff writer

The Occupational Safety and Health Administration Friday was continuing to investigate a fatal accident at Patriot Landing, the military housing complex in Scott Air Force Base.

Richard W. Joseph, 2816 State Highway, Granite City, died shortly after a backhoe

bucket hit him in the chest at the scene Oct. 3, according to the St. Clair County Coroner's office.

Joseph was an employee with McCarthy Bros. Construction Co. and apparently was climbing out of a trench.

Joe Czacki, OSHA's acting assistant area director in Fairview Heights, said the cause of the accident remains under investigation.

OSHA sent an investigator to the scene Oct. 3. Czacki said a final report will be filed within six months.

Joseph, 48, was pronounced dead at the scene by the St. Clair County Coroner's office.

The driver of the backhoe worked for Hug Trucking and Excavating in Ashley. He told police he was helping Joseph dig a water line just prior to the accident.

David Cornell, a project manager for TAMS-Sverdrup, said Thursday there was no news to report about the accident.

TAMS-Sverdrup is responsible for providing quality assurance for Patriot's Landing. As a part of this task, TAMS-Sverdrup is inspecting McCarthy's work to ensure that it's developing a good product for the money spent, Cornell said.



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Allen Sunderlink celebrated his 41st birthday Oct. 8.

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Rory Schneider celebrated his 16th birthday Oct. 9.

Crista Brissette celebrated her birthday Oct. 9.

Debra Townsend celebrated her 39th birthday Oct. 9.

Matthew Todd Burkley celebrated his 2nd birthday Oct. 10.

Sharon Lynn Bruzais celebrated her 38th birthday Oct. 10.

Merle Pashadag celebrated his 41st birthday Oct. 10.

Sewer, alley work funds approved

Work will begin in November on cleaning sewers and repaving alleys at the Kirkpatrick Homes Housing Project.

The Granite City Council Tuesday approved a \$46,000 bid from River Bend Contractors Inc. of South Roxana for the work, which will in part alleviate flooding problem in the development because of unclean sewers.

"We're going to limit the amount of debris going into the sewers by putting a grates in front of the catch basins," said Joe Juncieu, city engineer. The sewer work is mainly maintenance and cleanup. The sewers hadn't been cleaned for about a decade.

On the alleys, crews will replace one adly broken section, he said.

Madison County must also approve the bid before work begins, however, because the project's money will come from a county community development grant. The money will also be used to build ramps in near the Kirkpatrick main entrance for easier mobility of those with disabilities.

In related news, the Granite City Housing Authority has been awarded a \$1,201,325 grant to help upgrade, maintain and operate existing public housing projects.

The funds come from the Comprehensive Grant program of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

— Scott Kelly

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4-H clubs paint the town

To raise awareness of National 4-H Week, local 4-H clubs created window displays at local businesses.

One local club, the Knights of the Knights, used tempera paints to create a window display at O'Brien Tire in Granite City.

The artists from the club were Emily Wettberg, Lauren Owens and Brytany Buenger of the Edwardsville area and Morgan Cooper from the Livingston area. National 4-H Week was Oct. 5-11.

The Knights of the Knights Club is seeking youths ages 8-18 who are interested in joining 4-H to become better citizens for

tomorrow.

The club's project areas are horses and art, but hopes to attract members in spite of the other activities 4-H offers in agriculture, community involvement, environment, food, nutrition and health; home and family; mechanics and technology; or personal development.



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Filmmakers to preview miniseries in St. Charles

A couple of centuries after Lewis and Clark pushed off from the St. Charles riverfront, two more intrepid collaborators will land on that bank to promote their documentary of the Discovery Expedition. Ken Burns, director and co-writer of "Lewis & Clark: The Journey of the Corps of Discovery," and Dayton Duncan, writer and producer of the public television series, will preview the documentary in St. Charles on Oct. 24.

A screening and reception will be held from 1 to 3:30 p.m. on board the Goldenrod Showboat, which is moored on the Missouri River at Frontier Park.

KMOK radio personality Charles Brennen will serve as emcee of the event. Tickets to the event cost \$25. Proceeds will go toward construction of a new replica of the keelboat used in the Discovery Expedition.

The keelboat replica used in the filming

of the PBS documentary was later destroyed by a fire at its storage facility. The boat's maker, Glen Bishop, will begin work on the second replica early next year.

Bishop, of St. Charles, and a corps of volunteers already have built a replica of the white pirogue used in the expedition and are working on a replica of the corps' red pirogue.

— Jim O'Neal

Burns

(Continued from Page 1A) been largely subdued by two centuries of engineering and settlement, but Burns said that traveling up the Missouri still awakened in him a sense of the awe reported by the

explorers.

"The genius of Lewis and Clark, the genius of America, is that it's all about what's unexpected," he said. "No one knows what's around the next bend. Every day was a revelation."

The river also presented some of the same hardships that Lewis and Clark encountered, he said.

"We froze in 70 (degrees) below (zero) windchill. We were eaten alive by chiggers in 100-degree heat in Nebraska. We completely capsized on the Columbia River."

Still, he said, "It was all terrific and exciting."

After reading the voluminous journals of Lewis and Clark and following in their path, Burns said he came to feel a personal kinship with the expedition leaders.

"They feel like members of my family," he said. "I mourn the loss of my relatives. I love these men like I know them."

Learning of the sorrows, trials and misdeeds of the explorers made them more real but no less admirable, Burns said.

The documentary will show that Clark mistreated the slave he brought on the voyage, and that Lewis was tormented by mental illness that ultimately drove him to suicide, but Burns hopes that broadcasting

that information will not diminish the honor of the explorers.

"Meriwether Lewis was no less a great explorer for the disease of manic depression that would take his mind," he said.

"It's only our modern media age that convinces us there are perfect heroes that have existed. We are always in the business of propping up perfect heroes and then reveling in their downfall. The Greeks knew that every man is a combination of strengths and weaknesses, and that what makes one great is what he achieves in the struggle with himself."

Asked which man he would most like to befriend, Burns offered a split response.

"I felt particular sympathy with Lewis for his writing still, and with Clark for his leadership, his sympathy for the Indians. If you ask which man I'd like to sit down and meet with, it'd be Meriwether Lewis."

"But if you ask which one I'd like to cross the country with, it'd be William Clark. He's a guy you can depend on."



Staff photo by T.L. WITT

Walk this way

Sue Romano of O'Fallon pushes daughter Emily while walking with Carol Villinger of Chesterfield during Sunday's Walks for Women at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snow. The event helped raise funds for research into breast cancer.

Bradford

(Continued from Page 1A) seat must be filled quickly, lest the district be without representation for the veto session.

Bradford was elected in November and would have faced re-election in 1998. He said he would like people to consider four-year terms for representatives in order to alleviate the constant campaigning and fundraising necessary for two-year terms.

"It detracts from the time to work as a representative," he said.

Bradford he leaves office with education funding and infrastructure problems he said still need addressing. That will be up to his successor.

"The first guy I'd like to talk to is Jay Hoffman," Warfield said.

Hoffman, a former St. Clair County assistant state's attorney and probation and court services director for the 20th Judicial District, was elected to the 110th District in 1990.

After redistricting in 1992, he was elected to the new 112th District and re-elected in 1994.

Hoffman did not seek re-election in November 1996, opting instead to run for the 20th District seat vacated by U.S. Rep. Dick Durbin. Hoffman was defeated in that race by John Shimkus, R-Collinsville, the former Madison County treasurer.

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OBITUARIES

Ralph S. Connor

RALPH S. CONNOR, 45, of Granite City, died on Oct. 9, 1997, at his home. He was born on Oct. 21, 1948, in St. Louis and was a native of Granite City, a son of his late wife.

Mr. Connor was a sergeant in the U.S. Army and a member of the National Guard, having retired from the Granite City Steel in 1988, after 15 years of service as a steelworker. He was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include his brothers, Charles Connor, Roy Connor, Gerald Connor, Timothy Connor, and Joey Connor, all of Granite City; and Ross Connor of Freeport, Ill.; four sisters, Dorothy Waggoner, Shirley Bettori, and Darlene Odam, all of Granite City; and a brother, Sosash of Fairview Heights; and his mother, Helen Josephine (Sims) Connor of Granite City.

He was preceded in death by his father, Albert D. Connor, and one brother, Martin Troy Connor.

Visitation will be from 8 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 13, 1997, at Werner Chapel. Services will be at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 14, at the funeral home. Interment will be at Westview Cemetery. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery.

Mildred Smith

MILDRED SMITH, 82, of Granite City, died on Oct. 3, 1997, at St. Mary's Hospital in Clayton, Mo. She was born on June 13, 1915, in Granite City and was a lifelong resident.

Mrs. Smith was a housewife and a member of the protestant faith.

SURVIVORS
In addition to her daughter, Roberta Werner of Granite City; two sons, Robert and John Smith of Austin, Texas; and a daughter, Charles R. Smith of Wildwood, Mo.; and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William Smith, in 1984; her parents, Herman and Anna (Peters) Rau; one great-granddaughter, Alexia Nichols of Columbia; and one brother, Herman Rau.

Visitation was on Sunday, Oct. 5, 1997, at Werner Chapel. Services were on Monday, Oct. 6, 1997, at the funeral home with the Rev. Alan Redfern officiating. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to the American Heart Association or the Diabetes Association.

Mable Stover

MABLE STOVER, 60, of Granite City, formerly of Union, died at 2 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 9, 1997.

She is survived by sons, Alvin Stover of Colorado Springs; Thomas Stover of Sears, Mich.; Terry Stover of South Hampton, N.Y.; and Timothy Stover of Okemos, Mich.; four daughters, Lila Stover of Sarasota, Fla.; Linda Otten of Granite City; Irene Mark of Washington, and Amy Stover of Granite City; and sisters, Myrtle Bishop of Waukegan, Mo.; Imogene Robertson of Spring-

field, Mo., and Juanita Norrid of Holland, Mo.; two brothers, Carl LaVale of St. Louis, and Avery LaVale of Pocohontas, Ark.; 24 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Visitation was on Friday, Oct. 10, 1997, at the Oltmann Funeral Home, 101 Union St. Services were at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 11, at the funeral home. Burial was in Brush Creek Cemetery in Gray Summit.

Dorothy Gavwiner
DOROTHY B. (WELLER) GAVWINER, 75, of Madison, formerly of Litchfield, died at 1:30 a.m. on Oct. 9, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She was born on March 10, 1922, in Litchfield.

Miss Gavwiner was employed by St. Elizabeth Medical Center since

1978, as a Pink Lady Volunteer, working over 9,440 hours completing her 20th year in April of 1991.

Survivors
Include her son, Tony Bushong of Granite City; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Gavwiner, whom she married on March 31, 1947; and her parents, Frank and Effie Weller.

Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 12, 1997, at Irwin Chapel, 3865 Maryville Road, in Granite City. Services will be at 10 a.m. on Monday, Oct. 13, at the funeral home with the Rev. Henry Christoff officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis.

Memorials are suggested to the American Lung Association.

C.E. Townsend
C. E. "CORKY" TOWNSEND, 88, of

Springfield, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 2:25 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 8, 1997, at St. John's Regional Health Center. Services will be at 10 a.m. on March 11, 1998, in St. Louis.

Mr. Townsend was a resident of Granite City for most of his life until retirement when he moved to Branson, Mo. He was a cub reporter in 1927, and leased the Press Record in 1942. He bought the Press Record in 1947. He was the owner and publisher of the Granite City Press Record for 47 years until retiring in 1992. He was a member and director of numerous organizations, the Elks Lodge #1063; the Masonic Lodge; Illinois Press Association; Granite City Press Club; and a member of Bi-State Development; lifetime Emeritus membership in 1988; St. (See DEATHS, Page 5A)



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Hobby

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me, and I said, "All right, we'll go," she said. "He went in and talked to the producer, and she came out to me and said, 'We've got something here. It's very weird; be expecting a call from us.'

Jennifer Barnett, a publicist for the Tonight Show, said one of their people saw the episode.

"We have one producer who looks for interesting civilians

—nonelebrities," she said. Joe said he enjoyed appearing on television. "It was kind of fun and kind of scary, because I've never been in front of such a big audience before," he said. "The most exciting thing is being on TV for just the odd time. I'm hoping they'll all compete to get me on other shows."

He admitted to being something of a showoff, while his mother said he was a "ham" when he was younger.

Joe was supposed to appear Oct. 13, but the date was rescheduled.

"They said they are looking at Nov. 3, but they hate to tell me that for sure because

they've already changed it three times," Kim said.

"All we know is that during that sweeps week, they're going to have the best show," she said. "Joe and his toe-jam ball are important enough for sweeps week, he (the show's executive producer) thinks it's going to be really good for the ratings."

Originally, they were to be in Los Angeles for about four days.

"It gets to have two days of just leisure," she said. "The morning it is supposed to air they will do the taping, that night it will air, and they will fly it back the next day."

One thing they are looking forward to is the hotel room.

"(Nickelodeon) gave us a really good hotel, but I'm sure the Tonight Show will be really nice," she said.

Joe said he does not know what else will be appearing, but he is hoping for actress Uma Thurman.

"She plays that Poison Ivy (in 'Batman Returns') and she's pretty good-looking in that movie," he said. "I have a life-sized stand-up of her in my room."

Barnett said it was too early to know exactly who would be appearing.

Joe began his climb to fame when he was three.

At most, Kim said she and Joe's father Michael, who died in 1995, thought he might make the Guinness Book of World Records.

"That's where his dad and I were more or less thinking," she said.

Joe said he is still on the lookout for additions to his collection, but pickings have been slim.

In addition to his collection, Joe said he loves to read, sing, and write stories.

"Even though it's a pretty disgusting collection, that I'm proud of him for being so determined to get somewhere with it," she said. "He knew in his mind that something is going to come from it, but he just didn't know what."

"All I can say is since his dad's died, God has just been blessing him tremendously," Kim said. "I always knew that God had a sense of humor, but now I know for sure. Because of this toe-jam ball, he's really doing some good things."



Staff photo by JOHN FRESE

Janet Kavandi talks with sales manager Steve Althardt.

Tour

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has liquid nitrogen and liquid oxygen inside. Because the cold air this material gets, the stronger and stiffer it gets."

He said the alloy is "very expensive."

The awareness program is a good chance for the other employees to be able to share a little bit and get recognition for the contribution we make to the space program," he said. "People like myself in

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Kavandi said it was her first time in the plant like this. "It's very educational for me," she said. "It helps us get a better understanding."

Deaths

(Continued from Page 4A)
Elizabeth former board chairman; awarded the De La Roche Award in 1987; the Patriotic Civilian award in 1987; the U.S. Army award as being instrumental in founding the Ice Rink in Willow Park and other community services. He was awarded

the "golden em" award given to master editor and symbolizes membership in the Southern Illinois Editor's Hall of Fame. Survived by his wife of 65 years, Ruth (Richardson) Townsend of Branson, Mo., whom he married in 1932, in Granite City at the Presidency Inn; Orlene (Hoffmaster) Nancy and B.H. (Bob) Hoffmaster of Lakewood, Colo., and Pat and Niel Winter of Branson, Mo.; seven grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be at 3 p.m. for family and friends from 4 to 6 p.m. or friends today, Oct. 12, 1997, at Mercer Chapel, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., in Granite City. Services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, at the funeral home with the Rev. Lewis Trotter officiating. Burial will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery.

Mourners are suggested to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Clarence A. Boettiger
CLARENCE A. BOETTIGER, 87, of Granite City, died at 11:30 a.m. on Oct. 9, 1997, in Glen Carbon. He was born on April 1, 1903, in Granite City.

Survivors include his nephew, John Boettiger.

Visitation was on Saturday, Oct. 11, 1997, at Mercer Chapel. Services were on Saturday, Oct. 11, at the funeral home with Joe Larsen officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Cemetery in Glen Carbon.

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TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Oct. 12) You're the most popular when you are willing to clear away old obstacles and rearrange your plans. Success in art or business in October allows for material gains by November. Travel during February has romantic overtones. Many conditions are adjusted in March — keep



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GEMINI (May 21-June 21). A bold stroke succeeds where lesser attempts have failed. Couples discover the world when they roll in classes and clubs together. Singles, look for a slightly shy Cancer or Taurusian to be your ideal love.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Bigger and better things come when you summon them into your head. An exciting new pursuit is habit-forming. Play tour guide for a friend or a

relative. Where you live is so ideal, others long just to visit.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Some day they are the ones with the heads in a supposedly casual relationship. Why resist the natural flow? A new job opportunity involves nature, philanthropy, health care.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Financial decisions favor you. The huge obstacles you have already surmounted in life make conquering the world seem like child's play. A burst of self-confidence makes you a formidable opponent.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22). Nothing is standing in your way. Change family obligations so you can be headed for a career boost. Money is associated with a noble cause. Return borrowed objects or money.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). A partner proves his or her loyalty once and for all. Money is the best excuse for a job. Receive a special invitation from a relative. Stick to the point this afternoon and you are more convincing.

SAGITTARIUS (Dec. 22-Jan. 21). A sideways glance at the world may be all the perspective you need to solve a huge life problem. In other words, get out of yourself for a second. Once you know your road, courage and enthusiasm kicks in.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). The money situation looks up when you freely exchange ideas with a colleague. Benefits all. You are most productive working at home this afternoon. Try not to

neglect the whims of a partner.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). An unusual money-making scheme could be the big one. Explain a decision to a parent and a burden is relieved. You're able to slip a friendly visit with friends into your business plans.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). Premium contacts for your last ideas are met at casual get-togethers. You have an interest in family dynamics. Pulls a personal goal within reach. You break into new territory with great gusto.

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MOVIE SCHEDULE

Film timetable for Sunday, Oct. 12. For times on other days or to confirm these times, check local theaters.

ALTON CINE
2640 Clair St., 462-1151
Sun Food (R) 2:30, 5:00, 7:15
In And Out (PG-13) 2:50, 5:15, 7:10

CARMIC PETITE
170 E. Hwy. 167, Collinville, Ill.
Kiss The Girls (R) 1:15, 3:45, 7:15,
9:45
The Peacemaker (R) 1:00, 3:30, 7:00,
9:30
The Edge (R) 1:15, 3:45, 7:15, 9:45
Most Wanted (R) 1:10, 3:10, 7:10,
9:10

EDGE CINE
Eastern Plaza, E. Alton, Ill. 284-5289
The Peacemaker (R) 1:15, 4:15, 7:10
The Edge (R) 1:30, 4:15, 7:10
Romancing (PG) 1:45, 4:30, 6:45
Seven Years in Tibet (PG-13) 1:00,
4:00, 7:00
Most Wanted (R) 2:15, 4:45, 7:15
Kiss The Girls (R) 2:00, 5:00, 7:30

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Leave It To Beaver (PG) 2:00, 4:30,
6:45, 9:00
In And Out (PG-13) 1:45, 4:15, 7:15,
9:45
The Peacemaker (R) 1:15, 4:00, 7:00,
9:45

HALLS FERRY 14 CINE
2600 Broadway, 822-4800
In And Out (PG-13) 2:45, 3:00, 5:10,
7:10, 9:45
U-Turn (R) 1:45, 4:30, 7:20, 10:05
Getting Related (R) 12:05, 2:40, 4:45,
7:30, 9:30
Rocketman (PG) 12:40, 2:50, 5:00,
7:30, 9:30
Soul Food (R) 12:05, 2:40, 5:20, 8:30
Soul Food (R) 1:30, 4:30, 7:15, 9:30
7:30, 9:30
The Edge (R) 1:15, 4:25, 7:00, 9:35
The Peacemaker (R) 1:00, 4:40, 7:25,
9:30
Seven Years in Tibet (PG-13) 1:00,
4:05, 7:00, 9:30
Ghosts Of The Jungle (PG) 1:05
Hercules (G) 3:05
Leave It To Beaver (PG) 2:00, 7:00

LINCOLN THEATER
103 E. Main, Belleville, Ill. 233-0123
Hercules (G) 2:00, 7:15, 9:15
Spain (PG-13) 1:45, 4:15, 7:05, 9:25
My Best Friend's Wedding (PG-13)
1:30, 7:00
Nothing To Lose (R) 9:10

NAMEOKI CINEMA
30 Nameoki Village, 877-8833
Contact (PG) 2:00, 6:45
Conspiracy Theory (R) 2:15, 7:15

QUAD CINEMA
Bellville, Ill. 233-1220
Kiss The Girls (R) 1:15, 4:15, 7:15,
10:00
Leave It To Beaver (PG-13) 2:00, 4:30, 6:45,
9:15
The Peacemaker (R) 1:45, 4:45, 7:30,
9:30
Seven Years in Tibet (PG-13) 1:00,
4:00, 7:00, 9:30

ROXANA CINE THEATER
Roxana, Ill. 254-6747
Leave It To Beaver (PG) 2:00, 7:00

ST. CLAIR 10
50 Ludwig Drive, 988-8833
Money Talks (R) 12:05, 2:15, 4:20,
7:10, 9:40
U-Turn (R) 12:10, 2:10, 4:20,
7:20, 9:20

U-TURN
1100 23rd, 2:30, 5:30, 8:30
Matchmaker (R) 12:10, 2:20, 4:50,
7:05, 9:15
Conspiracy Theory (R) 1:30, 7:00
Money Talks (R) 4:00, 9:00

AL THIRTEEN
1100 23rd, 2:30, 5:30, 8:30
Air Force (R) 1:00, 4:10, 7:05,
10:00
A Thousand Acres (R) 11:30, 2:10,
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SOCIETY NEWS

Rotary looking for travelers to Italy

The Rotary Club of Granite City is seeking area residents interested in traveling to Italy as part of an international exchange program next spring.

The Granite City Exchange is open to women and men. The team of four persons from throughout western Illinois will be accompanied by a Rotarian leader and will spend five weeks in a variety of Italian Rotarian cities. They will leave Illinois in late May and return by the end of June.

Qualifications for the team include being a U.S. citizen and being employed in a business or profession full time for the past two years, with the intention of remaining in the work force for the near future.

The successful applicants will be in good health, be able to comfortably represent their profession, community and country to their Italian hosts and preferably (but not mandatory) have proficiency in Italian. They cannot be a Rotarian or a close family member.

All transportation costs are paid by the Rotary Foundation. Room and board will be provided by the Italian Rotarians. They will leave Illinois in late May and return by the end of June.

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Lodging will be in the homes of Italian Rotary Club members; however, some lodgings are provided by the host clubs in hotels. The only cost to team members is for personal expenses and small gifts for their families.

Persons interested in this once-in-a-lifetime international travel opportunity should call

Mike, president of the Rotary Club of Granite City at (618) 720-4200, or in person. All applications must be postmarked no later than Oct. 31. Interested persons may also call Rod Buffington, Chairman G.S.E., 2001 Barbara Drive, Springfield IL 62704, at (217) 787-7673.

Women voters to meet at UMSL

More than 60 members of the League of Women Voters of St. Louis and Illinois will tackle issues facing women and democracy in the United States when they meet from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 18.

The meeting will be in Room 201 of Marillac Hall, located on the South Campus at the University of Missouri-St. Louis.

Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m.

A tour of the Southwestern Bell Telecommunity Center at UMSL will be conducted after the meeting. The LOWV meet- ing is cosponsored by Citizenship Education Clearing House through the UMSL School of Education.

For more information, call Marsha Clark at (314) 516-6823.

Bazaar time



The Ladies Aid of Concordia Lutheran Church, 23rd and Grand, will have a Fall Bazaar on Saturday, Oct. 18, 1997, from 9 a.m. to noon. Shown here with some of the crafts are: Ellen Knacksted, Maxine Rowekamp, Leona Clark, Eleona Weber. Standing are: Ruby Schiber, Cindy Schreider, Billie Meier and Freda Hoefel. The Bazaar will also feature "White Elephant" items and bakery goods.

ORGANIZATIONS

Drusilla Andrews Chapter

The Drusilla Andrews Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) started its 73rd year Sept. 19.

Two ladies officially organized the chapter in Granite City Sept. 15, 1924. A daughter and two granddaughters of one of the original members of the chapter are still members of the local chapter even though they reside out of state.

Seven members met in the home of Barbara Wiesbach for the afternoon snack followed by their meeting. Regent Linda Mizell conducted the meeting and distributed many handouts from the national DAR meeting held earlier in Mount Vernon for Districts VI and VII. Williams and Judy Schatz attended

this meeting for the chapter.

Marie Rinehart read the president's general message and Edith Schatz presented a program on the Constitution. Constitution Day is always Sept. 17, the day when 39 men representing 12 states signed the Constitution of the United States. It was adopted and to take effect, nine states had to ratify it. Rhode Island, the ninth state, finally ratified it in 1790.

The regent called attention to an error that existed for several years in some of the organization's insignia. Someone at some time added arrow points to the spokes of the insignia wheel and the center of the wheel became broken. Now national groups and local chapters are busy getting rid of these points on DAR materials they may have.

The regent read an invitation from the Edwardsville DAR Chapter to its 50th year celebration in November.

Others attending the meeting were Judy Vanek, Linda Mizell and Shirley Wilkinson. Wilkinson will serve as the hostess in October.

Phi Tau Omega

The regular monthly meeting of the Eta Alumnae Chapter, Phi Tau Omega Sorority, was held on Wednesday, Oct. 1, at the Legacy Club House, hosted by Dorothy Johannigmeier. Twelve members attended.

Following a salad luncheon, card games occupied the afternoon with the following members awarded prizes: Linda Johannigmeier, LaVeda Knobbe, Margaret Lexow, Ann McDowell, Van Sturt, Mary Lou Tonsick, and Mary Evelyn Yoncho. Other members present but not mentioned were Frances Hartman, Millie Jungels, and Elsie Rodell.

The next meeting will be held on Nov. 5, and will be hosted by Mrs. McDowell and Mrs. Yoncho.

Ruth Circle

The Ruth Circle of Christian Women's Fellowship of Central Christian Church met at the church on Sept. 18.

Plans were made for the circle's participation in the community projects of the Christian Women's Fellowship.

On Oct. 1, the women will make apple butter to be sold.

The Chicken and Dumpling Dinner and the sale of Crafts will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 18th. The price per ticket is \$6.00 for adults, and \$3.00 for children 5 to 11. Carryout will also be available.

The service project for 1997-98 is Health Kits to be sent to Church World Service for distribution to people who are suffering from natural disasters.

The Ruth Circle did some cleaning work at the church building on Monday, Sept. 29th.

The study and worship deal with "Planning for Evangelism." Helen Stumpf, Helen Jones, and Karen sent were Betty Ebrecht, Staron Calaway, Lynda Leggett, Helen Stumpf, Pearl Kennerly, Joyce Sawyer, and Donna McKenzie.

Church Women United

The monthly meeting of Church Women United was held at Holy Family Community Center on Sept. 25. Millie Clements, vice-president, conducted the meeting in the absence of the president. She introduced the new members. They discussed the "Ten Commandments of How to Get Along." Mae Lee and Margaret Branding furnished the refreshments.

The CROP walk will be held on Oct. 19. 20 percent of the pledges collected will be given to Protestant Welfare. Protestant Welfare will hold an Open House and dedication of its newly renovated building at 1015 W. 10th and 11th Streets.

Tom Atwood from KSDK Channel 5 will be the master of ceremonies. Protestant Welfare and C.W.U. will host the Ramaida Ministry Effingham. C.W.U. will hold its annual World Community Day program at Bell A.M.E. Church in Madison on Nov. 7, with a "Thank You" food luncheon.

The theme of the program will be "Gathering Seed," from a Medieval Motto. Those who have planted these seeds from plants of ancient times are asked to bring plants that have developed. Ola Jones and

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SOCIETY NEWS

Organizations

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Mari Moore are chairperson of this event.

A blood drive will be held on Nov. 18 at the Central Christian Church from 2 to 6 p.m. Donors are greatly needed.

A report from the layette committee noted that persons needed to knit sweaters from the yarn that is provided. Tutors are also needed for the literacy program. A new fund is being developed to purchase the "Good Samaritan House" in C.W.U. for homeless women and children. C.W.U. voted to donate \$200 toward this project when needed.

The following persons were elected to offices for the 1998 year: Millie Clements, president; Muriel Kratz, vice-president; Joyce Torissant, secretary; Emma Jakich, treasurer; Ola Jones, nominating committee.

The next meeting of C.W.U. will be on Oct. 23.

Educational Office Personnel

The Illinois State Association of Educational Office Personnel held their first meeting of the year on Monday, Sept. 28, at the School of Child Development. Committee served as hostesses.

Those present were Gloria Harrington, Diana Nierot, Louise Read, Ruth Wadewitz, and Carol Grotz. Betty Grotz, Barbara Schreiber, Marge Burdige, Berta Millanis, Lucille Caban, Vickie Simpson, and Melinda McFarland.

The group enjoyed a potluck before the business meeting which was presided over by President Melinda McFarland.

The plans for the new year were presented. The October meeting will be a Halloween Party on Oct. 27, at Marshall School, hosted by Melanie McFarland.

Butterfly Card Club

Irene Wingerter entertained the Butterfly Card Club for the month of September after the members met for lunch at Brenda's.

Desert was served and favors were a mini-magnetic refrigerator clown. The afternoon was spent playing pinochle and prizes awarded for the scores. Nell Tally was the honor priate.

Also in attendance were Harriet Hoff, Catherine Hause, Lorrene McIver, Helen Rollins, Minnie Rosenberg, and Edith Ryan. Erma Blattner was a guest.

Tally will entertain the October meeting.

Omicron Chapter

The Illinois Omicron Master Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority held its first meeting of the year on Sept. 3 at the home of Penelope Tsigoloff. Following the business meeting, conducted by President Evelyn Toliver, Alice Konieczny gave a tour of Nicholas Biddle's "The Notebooks."

On Sept. 12, members, Toliver, Arlene Haidman and Dolores Dugan attended the annual Sororities, Inc. picnic held at Wilson Park. They accepted a Certificate of Appreciation on behalf of the Omicron Chapter. A check for supplies the chapter has given to New

Opportunities over the past several years.

On Sept. 13, members, Joyce Almanza, Billie Bradforth, Vicki Mae Lombardi, Hildegarde Tsigoloff, and Imogene Forrest enjoyed lunch at the Original Pie Pantry in Belleville and a tour to Belleville's downtown arts and crafts show. This was followed by a trip to Eckert's Farms Country Store for apples and peaches.

The second regular meeting in October was held in the home of Toliver. Tsigoloff gave a book review of "The Notebooks" by Alice Konieczny. A Make-It-Or-Bake-It apple pie was won by Konieczny; an apple pie baked by Haldeman.

Beta Sigma Phi is the largest Greek letter sorority of its kind in the world and has grown in its 66-year history from one chapter to seven women in Abilene, Kan. To a sorority of 250,000 women, active in 1,000 chapters throughout the world. The Omicron Master Chapter was chartered in April of 1951.

Wingerter family reunites at Wilson Park

On Aug. 10, the Wingerter family held a reunion picnic at Wilson Park in Granite City to celebrate a visit by former Granite City resident Dennis Wingerter of North Bend, Wash.

The following local family members attended: Mark and Becky Wingerter with sons Justin and Nathan; John and Janice Tindall with daughters, Michelle and Gabrielle, of Kansas City, Mo.; Jeff Blechle and Angie Ladd of Edwardsville; and Roslene (Jill) Ellis and Tiffany Ellis of Smithton.

SENIOR MENUS

Donations for noon meals are \$2. Call day ahead for reservation 377-4273.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 15 — Salisbury steak, whipped potatoes with gravy, scandinavian vegetables, wheat bread, butterscotch pudding.

THURSDAY, Oct. 16 — Baked

ham, scalloped potatoes, peas and pearl onions, rye bread, applesauce.

FRIDAY, Oct. 17 — Beef and noodles in mushroom sauce, tossed salad, bursel sprouts, wheat bread, peach cobbler.

MONDAY, Oct. 20 — MUSH-

room steak, whipped potatoes with gravy, green bean casserole, wheat bread, orange sherbet.

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Art
Voellinger

Road trip among early sidelights

Waiting until mid-October for my annual highlights and sidelights of the high school football season, I often leads to an overlong car trip to such things as this year's fan bus trip for O'Fallon fans to Centralia.

Since the Panthers pulled out a 20-19 victory, but the bus—including OTHS cheerleaders—failed to reach the game site due to a wrong turn that led the fans and their driver to Raymond in south central Illinois.

By the time the mistake was realized, the drive to Centralia would have led to a late arrival. Thus, the bus returned to O'Fallon.

On the field, consider the following:

• Comebacks: Belleville West rallied from a 19-0 deficit at O'Fallon to a 25-22 lead only to loose 25-22 after a quarterback sneak by Ralph Holmes with 39 seconds to play.

• At Alton, the Redbirds trailed in a game this year 28-14 in the fourth quarter but won 29-28 with the deciding touchdown coming on a 60-yard pass play from Craig Hanes to Travis Dean.

• No. 1: Erin Lee, the teachers strike in East St. Louis. Lincoln matched its win total of 10 with a 20-6 victory over Chicago Manual, as tailback Zelman Sanders recorded 106 yards and a TD.

• Quick start: Althoff opened its season with a 61-27 rout at Marion, sophomore Clyde Hardt rushed for 225 yards on 11 carries and scored three touchdowns.

• Voice lessons: Roxana QB Brian Berggren used voice inflection to draw Freeport defenders off side in the third quarter, setting up his 4-yard TD run in a 7-0 decision.

• Lights out: Jerseyville greased the night air at the Belleville Township Stadium with a 19-0 win against Althoff. Corey Scott rushed for 133 yards and a TD while Justin Hines had two interceptions and a score for Jerseyville.

• Stat pack: Waterloo junior Joey Decker had three TDs, including an 89-yard kickoff return in the Bulldogs' 35-6 victory over Roxana.

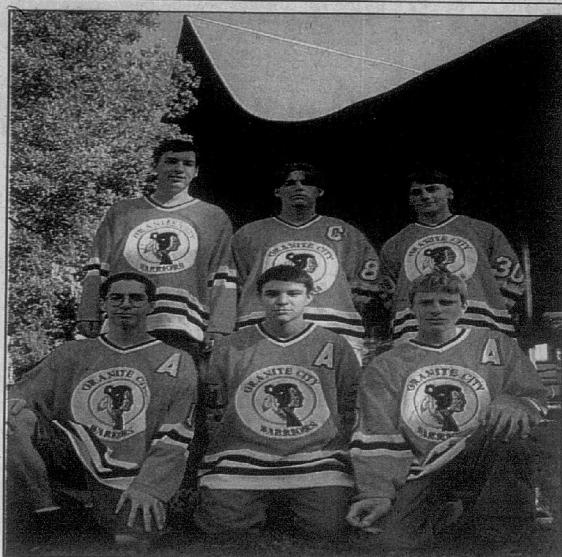
• Short work: Even with highly touted quarterback Byron Gettis sitting out the last quarter due to leg cramps, Cahokia slipped a 16-13 lead over West 36-0. Before departing, Gettis teamed with Darren Goodwin for a 62-yard pass play and Aaron Blanks for a 26-yard score.

• Ten straight: In a battle of previously winless teams, Belleville East blanked West 14-0 as QB Tony Patterson tossed a pair of 33 yards to Dante Brinkley and 35 yards to Adrian Jackson for the Lancers' 10th consecutive win over the Maroons.

• Hot soph: Edwardsville sophomore Joe Beavis set a school-record with 324 yards and four TDs in a 42-7 win at Alton.

• Jerome lane: Cahokia's

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(Photo by JOHN FRESE)

The Illinois Warriors ice hockey team, an entry in the Mississippi Valley Club Hockey Association, is led by six seniors. Pictured are (from left to right): in back — Matt Foley, Vince Wittenburg (captain) and Robert Slater; in front — alternate captains David Svezia, Bobby Meszaros and Dustin Wesley.

An ice alternative New Granite City hockey team will participate in MVCHA

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

Fans from Granite City will enjoy two high school age hockey teams this season as the Granite City Warriors, of the Mid-Southern Hockey Association, and the newly formed Illinois Warriors, of the Mississippi Valley Club Hockey Association, take the ice for their respective seasons.

The Illinois Warriors, one of the newest team members in the MVCHA, is comprised solely of students from

the Granite City school district and will compete in the MVCHA Southern Conference against Illinois teams from the surrounding communities.

The Granite City Warriors will continue to compete against Missouri high school clubs in the MSCA.

The first game of the fall varsity season for the Illinois Warriors brings the Collinsville Kahoks to the Wilson Park Ice Rink on Wednesday, Nov. 12 at 8:15 p.m.

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Hard work pays off for Collinsville's Brill in regional

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

This is the time Tyson Brill has waited for since the beginning of summer.

It's post-season time for high school golfers.

Brill, a senior at Collinsville High School, is hoping all the practice and hard work will pay off in the Southwest Conference dual matches he prepared him for the Illinois High School Association Class AA State Tournament in Bloomington this Friday and Saturday.

Brill cleared the toughest hurdle — making it through the regional tournament last Tuesday. He carded a 72 to capture individual medalist honors.

"This can't do anything but help him," CHS golf coach Mel Heien said. "Brill winning the regional." He has been shooting low for this all year long. He wanted to prove he was the best in the area. If this proves it, so be it. I'm sure these other



er kids aren't going to back away from him at Centralia."

The regional tournament was a way of quickly ending a top golfer's season. The next stop for this all year long player is Brent Jackson of Belleville East. Brent Jackson, who had finished in the state's top 10 the

last two seasons, didn't make the cut for the sectional tournament.

Brill was visibly shaken when he learned Jackson didn't make the cut.

"Brent is my good friend. We've played together neck-and-neck for three years now, since he was a freshman and I was a sophomore," Brill said.

"We've play some great golf — both of us. Just the other day at The Woodlands we played some great golf, we played six holes. After birdie, we were each three-under, and then 15 and 16 came. Brent is a great guy. I always love playing with him. I am just sorry he didn't make it out."

With Jackson not making the cut, that might force Brill to concentrate even more toward reaching his ultimate goal.

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Brill didn't let down and achieved one of his summer goals by capturing the individual regional crown. He believed he was in giving him some much-needed momentum as he attempts to hit the daily double by winning the sectional crown.

"It helps my confidence a lot," Brill said. "I have been

practicing my chipping a lot and that is coming around. I can hit the pin. I can get up and down so that takes a lot of pressure off the other parts of my game."

So does he think he is playing good enough to capture that sectional title and place at state?

"I don't want to say anything really," Brill said. "I think I will be right there in the end."

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GOLF USA

Sophomores pace Granite City

Warriors finish third in regional tourney

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

The Granite City High School boys golf team advanced to the Centralia sectional this Tuesday with a trio of sophomores leading the way.

The Warriors tied O'Fallon for third place in the regional tournament last Tuesday behind Jeff Jorden's round of 73, Brett Briggs' 76, and a 78 from Ty Suhe. Dan Harper was at 84, giving GCHS a 311 total, seven strokes off Edwardsville's winning pace.

The team, by virtue of placing in the regional, advances to sectional as

do the three sophomores, who joined 19 other golfers with rounds of 78 or better.

"We're a young team," said Briggs. "Matt Foley is the only senior on the team. We have two juniors and a total of five sophomores."

"The future for the team looks pretty good," added Jorden. "We should be able to go pretty far the next two years, if we each keep improving our games like we did from last year."

"I've been kind of off and on this year," said Suhe. "I've got to find what we've all got to offer and continue to play the game. That will help us improve."

Briggs has shaved eight strokes off his freshman average, while Suhe and Jorden both have lowered their scores by 10 strokes.

But as bright as the future looks, the Warriors are not

looking past Tuesday's sectional at Greenview Country Club. "We've lost the top ten and the low 12 individuals among those who have qualified from the sectional to the state tournament," said coach Boone Chaney. "We are focused on what we have to do individually in order to be in either or both of those groups. The kids are showing experience now. They are growing up. They are playing very well."

In fact, they are playing better than they have all season.

Suhe had a career-best round of 76 in the Southwest regional tournament on Oct. 2, while both Briggs and Jorden saved their best scores for the regional tournament last Tuesday.

"As the sophomores pick up their game, the team picks up its game,"

"The Warriors have fared well in season-ending tournaments, placing second at Centralia, third at Macomb, third in the SWC and third in the regional. Chaney hopes that good play carries over into sectional action."

"We're playing well away from home, and we are demonstrating great maturity," he said. "We seem to be on our game, and that is what you want as you head into the sectional."

Danny Harper shot an 84, Matt Roustou an 84 and Matt Foley an 87 in other regional scores for the Warriors.

Edwardsville edged Collinsville 304-305 for the regional

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title, the Tigers' first regional championship since 1994. The two teams will join Granite City and O'Fallon at the sec-

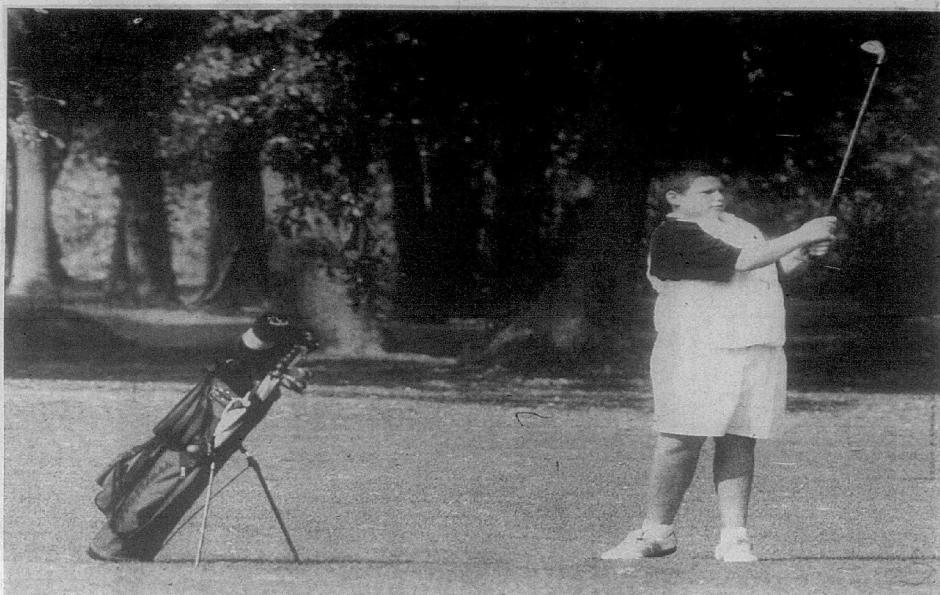
tional.

"I told the kids that they would probably need a score of 76 or 77 to advance as an individual," said Edwardsville coach Diane Werber. "If you multiply 76 1/2 times four, you get 306. We did better than that. A 303 is a low score for a regional championship. The conditions were perfect (Tuesday)."

That may not be the case this Tuesday as current predictions call for rainy and cold conditions in the Centralia area.

"Conditions are a big factor," said Briggs. "The conditions (last week) were perfect. If they are bad this week, it could really make for high scores. But regardless, we'll just have to go out and play the best we can."

Spoken like a true ... sophomore.



(Photo by JOHN FRESE)

Granite City's Dan Harper watches his shot head toward the green during last Tuesday's Class AA regional golf tournament. Harper carded an 84 to help the Warriors advance to this week's sectional at Centralia.



(Photos by JOHN FRESE)

The emergence of the sophomores has helped the Granite City golf team close the season with impressive play. Above left: Sophomore Ty Suhe strikes the ball with an iron on his way to a 78 last Tuesday at the Class AA regional tournament at Arlington. Above right: Classmate Brett Briggs was the second-best scorer on the Warriors golf team, carding a 76. Briggs, Suhe and sophomore Jeff Jorden advanced individually to the sectional.

CLASS AA REGIONAL (at Arlington CC, Oct. 7) BOYS

Top Regional 1. Edwardsville 304, 2. Collinsville 305, 3. Belleville West 316, 4. O'Fallon 311, 5. Belleville West 316, 6. Belleville East 317, 7. Triad 319, 8 (tie). Althoff 320, Alton 320, 10. Jerseyville 329, 11. Edwardsville 330, Civic Memorial 331, 13. Waterloo 334.

Medalist: Tyson Brill, Collinsville, 72; Jeff Jorden, Granite City, 73; Brett Briggs, Granite City, 76; Matt Foley, O'Fallon, 75; Matt Holmes, Edwardsville, 75; Matt Roustou, 75; Ryan Tieb, Civic Memorial, 76; Jim Clark, Jerseyville, 76; Justin Hampshire, Edwardsville, 76; Mike Lutz, Collinsville, 76; Brett Briggs, Granite City, 76; Matt Holmes, Edwardsville, 76; Matt Roustou, 76; Matt Hampshire, Collinsville, 77; Brad Bevington, O'Fallon, 77; Andy Parmley, Edwardsville, 78; Ty Suhe, Granite City, 78; Kevin Flynn, Belleville West, 78; Gary Weller, Belleville West, 78; Eric DeFossett, Belleville East, 78; Brent Blacharczak, Alton, 78; Mike Fischbeck, 78; Mike Dunham, Jerseyville, 78.

Local Teams

EDWARDSVILLE 1. Holmes, 74; Hampshire, 76; Talarico, 76; Farley, 78; Daniel Lowry, 79; Scott Haleen, 83.

COLLINSVILLE (305): Brill, 72; Alber-

ta, 78; Holmes, 78; Matt Spangler, 78; John Stolarek, 80; Ron Wiblemo, 84.

GRANITE CITY (311): Jorden, 73;

Briggs, 76; Suhe, 78; James, 84.

O'FALLON (311): Cates, 73; Bevington, 77; James, 78; Mike Edney, 81; Brian Dodson, 90; Andy DeVine, 84.

BELLEVILLE WEST (316): Flynn, 78;

Ruth, 81; Adam, 81; Matt Smith, 84.

BELLEVILLE EAST (317): DeFossett, 78;

Chris Eddy, 79; Brent Jackson, 79; Matt Milton, 81; David Cates, 82; Jeff Beatty, 84.

ALTHOFF (320): Blacharczak, 78; Aus-

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"This may well be the best team O'Fallon High has ever had," Voeltinger suggested. "And I'm impressed with our forward team. This was a classic example of a team."

In other Thursday action at the Tournament of Champions, Belleville East improved to 10-0-3 with a 3-0 spanking of Sacred Heart Griffin. While powerful Desmet (12-3-1) blew out McClain North 4-1, using bench players most of the second half to end the game 10-0.

For Belleville East, Kiko Perez, Chad Dagenhart and Larry Scheller scored goals to beat SICG.

East and Desmet, both 2-0-0 in pool play, were scheduled to play at 4:45 p.m. Friday with the winner advancing to Saturday's second semifinal game.

BOYS SOCCER — PEPSI-COLA/GRANITE CITY TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS

O'Fallon advanced to final four

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

Twenty minutes into the second half of Thursday afternoon's soccer match between O'Fallon and St. Charles West, O'Fallon coach Art Voeltinger looked at the 1-1 score on the board and had a fleeting thought run through his mind.

"I thought to myself: Is it conceivable that we could end this tournament as the first team in its 17 year history to not lose a game and still advance to the final four?"

Voeltinger's Panthers had a 0-2 (2 points) in pool play and needed a win to advance to the semifinals. A tie would have left them undefeated but also short of the semifinals, since West was already 2-0-0 (4 points).

But the 14-year-old junior, Josh Patterson, eased Voeltinger's mind. Raymond Jones took a Greg Maher pass and was tripped in the box as he tore past the Warriors' sweeper Patterson buried the penalty

kick in the lower right corner of the net. The Panthers hung on from the top for the win. They advanced to Saturday's semifinals at a 9-9 draw with top-ranked Champlain.

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•Voellinger

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Jerome Muldrow tallied five TDs in a 34-12 victory over Althoff.

Showdown: Freeburg headed toward Cahokia Conference showdown at Dupo by blitzing Kyle 14-1 and Greg Glass' 20-yard rushing run. Dupo's Adam Schaefer ran 22 and 20 yards for Freeburg to spark a second-quarter burst in a 34-20 win.

Santa Klaus: Highland edged Triad 26-10 as Jared Klaus' second TD, a 17-yard fourth-quarter run, kept the Bulldogs

in contention for the Mississippi Valley title while Balthito started with a 71-yard TD pass play from Nick Smith to Jason Ballesteros in 41-16 win at Waterloo.

Homecoming: Belleville West road the "rah, rah" of Hobe Day to a 14-10 decision against Granite City — the Maroons' first win after five losses.

Other high: Wood River remained unbeaten in the West Division of the South Central Conference and raised its record to 5-0 as Mike Richards ran for four TDs (30, 29, 40, 20) and kicked five PATs.

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•Hockey

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Head coach Paul Sollberger has been working with the team both on and off the ice in preparation for the August 15th start.

"With these early practices, the players are learning our fundamentals for successful team play," he said.

The varsity and junior varsity squads for the Illinois Warriors have a combined roster of 27 players.

The varsity is anchored by senior captain Vince Whiting, senior defensemen Matt Foley and senior goaltender Robbie Slater. Thirteen of the varsity team players have previous varsity or junior varsity experience with the Granite City High School Warriors teams of Mid-States.

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The Mississippi Valley Club Hockey Association, with its 15 member clubs, will begin regular play in late February. The All-Star game and skills competition will take place in March.

Sam Guarino, president of the MVCHA, is glad to have the Illinois Warriors as part of the league.

"We welcome the inclusion of Granite City," Guarino said. "With their additional support, the team should easily top last year's figure of 25,000 paid spectators."

The Illinois Warriors play their first three games at Wilson Park on three consecutive Wednesdays, hosting Collinsville (Oct. 12), Belleville East (Oct. 19) and O'Fallon (Oct. 26).

SCOOP DU JOUR

Belleville softball coaches meeting is Wednesday

The Belleville Parks & Recreation Department will have an informational meeting for girls ASA fast-pitch softball teams in 12-and-under, 14-and-under and 16-and-under divisions. Girls ASA coaches having teams in the Belleville Parks & Recreation Girls ASA Fast-Pitch Leagues can attend the meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday at Nichols Community Center. For information, call Todd Strubhart, 233-1416.

Columbus Day run

Columbus Day 1-kilometer Kids Run will be 11 a.m. Monday at O'Fallon City Park.

The race is for boys and girls in the under-7, 7-9, 10-11 and 13-14 age groups. The overall boys and girls winners receive trophies and medals will be awarded to the first three runners in each age division.

The entry fee is \$6, make checks payable to the O'Fallon K-12. The first 120 entrants receive a shirt. Proceeds benefit the Area 12 Special Olympics. Race day registration is available between 9:30-10:30 a.m.

For more information, call "Foz" Ryan at 632-5597.

Basketball camp

The BAC/YMCA Basketball Camp will begin Saturday, Oct. 18 and will run on six consecutive Saturdays at the Belleville Area College intramural gymnasium. The fee is \$17 for YMCA members and \$37 for non-members.

Register at the Downtown Belleville YMCA, 15 N. 1st St. Call Scott Nease at 233-1243 for more information. The camp is divided as follows:

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BUSINESS

Reviewing your current ownership and beneficial designation

Along the tremendous surge in annuity sales in the past few years comes a number of recurring problems which deserve to be reviewed. In the remainder of this article one of these common mistakes will be spelled out, as well as the consequences of using this setup.

Improper use of joint ownership

Example: Husband acquires a variable annuity contract on himself as annuitant. His wife is listed as a joint owner with their children listed as beneficiaries.



Brian Mulhall

death pass directly to the beneficiaries (the children in this instance) and not the surviving joint owner. Clearly this is an unintended result in most instances.

Discussion

The use of joint ownership on an annuity contract generally adds nothing to the education.

The only benefit of joint ownership is that one spouse does not fully trust the other spouse. By having joint owners two signatures would be required for withdrawals and the exercise of many other

contractual provisions.

If the surviving spouse is listed as primary beneficiary, the contract can be converted to a deferred annuity. Under our hypothetical example, the husband should have been listed as the owner and annuitant, with his wife listed as primary beneficiary.

The choice of a contingent

beneficiary depends upon the size of the contract and the age of the children; possible designations might be either the estate of the husband or the children equally. It is suggested that you take a moment to review your current ownership and beneficial designations.

If you are unsure as to the flow of events in the event of

the death of the owner or annuitant under the contract, it is suggested that you contact your annuity representative to have your current arrangement fully explained to you.

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Stocks offer long-term returns

By Jeff Prosser

The stock market is not a horse race.

Nevertheless, each new day brings another stock jockey proclaiming a foolproof new strategy. The best odds strategy has shown, however, that the best system for success is a long-term, buy-and-hold strategy.

Even so, there are a few methods of stock investing that have proved to be effective. Some of those methods deal with the Dow Jones Industrial Average.

The Dow is a price-weighted average of 30 actively traded blue-chip stocks. Together they represent between 15 percent and 20 percent of the market value of all stocks trading on the New York Stock Exchange — hardly a bunch of dogs. Yet several investing techniques concentrate on Dow stocks that are out of favor, the dogs of the Dow.

One of the main proponents of the Dow dogs is John Downes, co-author of the book "Beating the Dow" and editor of a newsletter by the same name. One of Downes' strategies, called the Dow ten, calls for buying equal amounts of the 10 highest-yielding Dow stocks.

A high yield often means the price of the stock has dropped, making the dividend high in relation to the stock price.

Another strategy is the flying fox, concentrated on the five lowest-priced stocks of the Dow ten. Each year, the portfolio is adjusted to include the latest high yielders. (Remember, however, there are tax ramifications every time you sell stock.)

Downes also offers one-stock strategy, the penultimate (next-to-last) profit prospect. PPE is a company that only buys the Dow ten stock with the second-lowest price, keeping it for a year and then trading it for that year's new PPP. Again, keep in mind the tax ramifications.

The PPP theory has more risk than either the Dow ten or flying fox strategies due to its lack of diversification.

In effect, you're putting all of your eggs in one basket. Why select the second-lowest-priced stock from the Dow ten, rather than the lowest? Downes' theory is that the lowest-priced stock deserves to be there; the second-lowest may

have stumbled and soon will recover.

According to Downes' newsletter, the PPP produced a 25.5 percent average annual return between 1972 and 1996. Compare that to the entire Dow, which returned 12.6 percent a year.

However, 25 percent is the average over 25 years. In individual years during the period,

the PPP strategy actually trailed the Dow 11 times, including five years in which it lost money. Downes suggests that because the PPP strategy is volatile, it's important to stick with it year after year to weather the ups and downs.

Even if these strategies appeal to you, they shouldn't be your entire investment plan.

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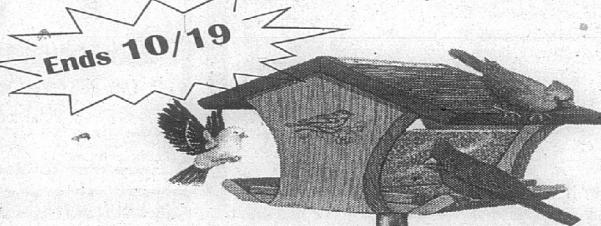
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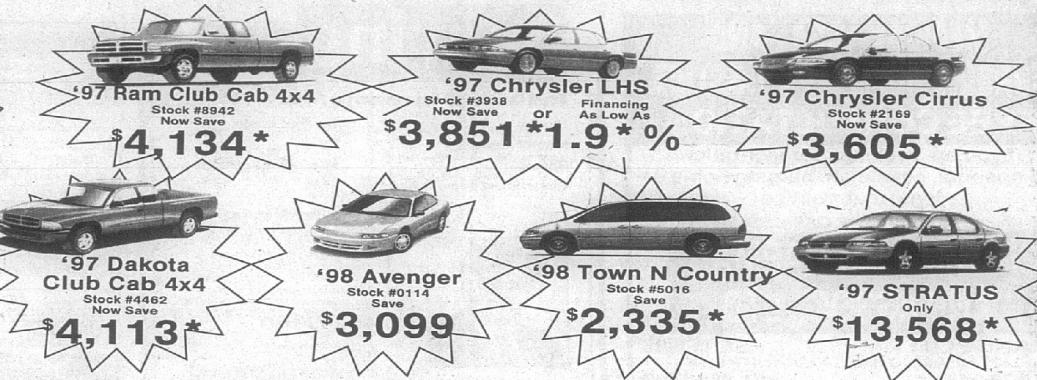
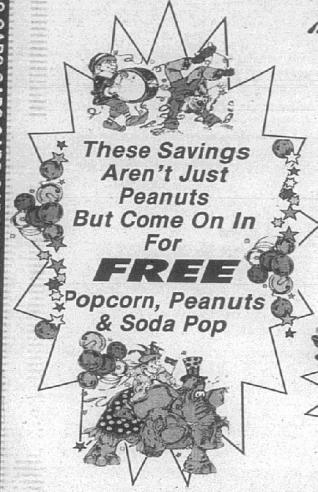
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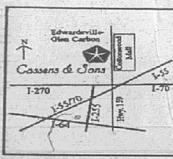
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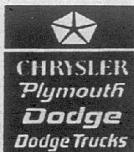
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Aging series continues at Edwardsville

The series of colloquia on the interdisciplinary aspects of aging continues at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The series, scheduled from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. every Tuesday through Dec. 9 in the Vadalabene Center Room 202, features presenters from SIUE and other colleges and universities in the region, as well as practitioners and researchers from local government agencies and organizations providing services to senior citizens.

Sponsored by the Illinois Geriatric Education Center Network and the Gerontology Program of the SIUE School of Education, the series is free and open to the public. Health care professionals, government officials and aging network personnel are especially encouraged to attend.

Topics for October programs include:

Oct. 14—Learn about aging and the elderly while having fun playing "Geropedy," sponsored by the Iota Chapter of Sigma Phi Omega, the national academic honor society in gerontology.

Oct. 21—"Social Work and Aging—Challenges Now and To Come," presented by Nancy Paul from the Geriatric Consultation Services.

Oct. 28—"Is It True You Really Over the Hill at 39? The Biology of Aging," speaker is to be announced.

For more information, call Anthony Traxler, director of the Gerontology Program, at 692-3454.

Hospice seeks volunteers

The Visiting Nurse Association of Illinois Hospice is seeking volunteers to provide services to terminally ill patients and their families.

The two-day training session will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 18, and Saturday, Oct. 25, at Westgate Baptist Church, 801 W. Broadway, in Trenton.

For information or to register, call the Hospice Office at (800) 642-6099 or 533-2781.

Recruitment

The Career Placement Center of Belleville Area College's Granite City Campus recently sponsored a Recruitment Day on campus. Representatives from NationsBank interviewed prospective job candidates throughout the day. One interviewee was Mike Tabacci of O'Fallon, who talked with Jackie Hull, a personnel marketer.

GRADUATES

Nearly 570 students graduated from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville during summer commencement in which degrees were conferred in ceremonies in SIUE's Vadalabene Center gymnasium.

SIUE Chancellor Nancy Beldi graduated degrees on campus with students from the College of Arts and Sciences, and the Schools of Business, Education, Engineering, and Nursing.

Names of graduate candidates from Illinois and their degrees, are on the following list. Students graduating with special honors are indicated as follows: Cum Laude, ** Magna Cum Laude, Dean's List, Cum Laude, Deanne's College, + + + Chancellor's Scholar.

Bachelor of Science: Ella Abele, Leonard Ackman, James Brown, Jr., Robert Buesing, James Crook, Gillian Delcor, Stephen Dinga, James Duff, Alan Eichenthal, Jason Gehlbeck, Christopher Grauman, ya Hook, Marsha Hurt-Bevineau, Melinda Pfasterer, Susan Przybysz, Joyce Rapp, Greg Schewe, Eddie Travis Jr., Deborah Vanbair, Stacy Voss, Jason Wiesner.

Bachelor of Science: Sandra Hick, Michael Puntaric.

Bachelor of Science in Education: Tracy Allison, Mary Alvey, John Bales, Daniel Eddy, Cindy Goodman, Tara Hull, Julie Hynes, Hope Jorns, Richard Mau, Mary May, Patricia Seibert-Padgett.

Bachelor of Arts: Julie Kleine, Robert Lemus, Kirk Nussbaum, Don Old Turpin.

Bachelor of Liberal Studies: Douglas Devall, Bachelor of Science: **Timothy Burgener, Shana Cochran, Hope Hause, Jennifer Hause, Jill Pappas, *Katherine Putley, John Sapolski Jr., Kristie Sikora, Delbria Vinson, Barbara Williams, Melissa Woolf.

Bachelor of Arts: Amy Johnston, Vicki Mohler.

Bachelor of Business Administration: John Borkowski.

Bachelor of Public Administration: Jodi Shaw.

Master of Science: Diana Chitwood, Michaela Clegg.

Master of Science: Victoria Flath, Darrin Houck, Debra Lane, Carol Meag, Michael Maag, Connie Parikh, Paul Paton.

Edwardsville: Bachelor of Arts: Michelle Budt, Tammy Busch, Kimberly Hoey, Karen Ladd, Donald McLean, Misty Rickards, Kirk Venturato.

Bachelor of Music: Carl Casperen.

Bachelor of Liberal Studies: Doreen Nyromlo.

Bachelor of Music: James Gera, Andrew Tichene.

Bachelor of Science: Kelly Bell, Karen Carter, Thomas Clarkson, Joann Conley-Flota, Charles Conley II, Pauline Delle, ***Hope Ervin, Diane Goss, Michaela Haskins, Jason Haydon, Brandon Helton, Earl Hernan, Laurie Kee, Karen Kunkel, Christopher Ladd, K. Barbara Lafferty, Jennifer Modrovsky, Dabra Nelson, Janis Null, Marcia Renda, Angelita Slaguer, Linda St. John, Michael St. John, Andrea Sudrock, Jason Thompson, Shawn Turner, *Carleen Turner, Angela Wulfers, Gerald Zacher.

Bachelor of Science: Catherine Link.

Master of Science: Bachelor of Arts: Chaura Ross.

Bachelor of Science: Tricia Gunderson, Robert Mitchell, Mary Redden.

Bachelor of Science: Venice.

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Bachelor of Science: Shermene Turner.

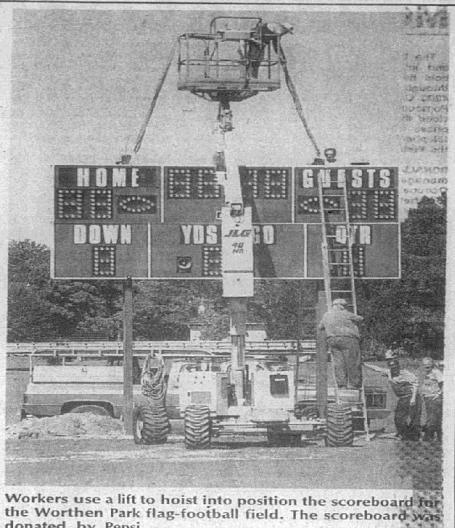
Bachelor of Liberal Studies:

New football field



Staff photos by JOHN FRESE

Ron Parente of the Granite City Park District Board of Directors (left) listens as Kelly Hogan describes the progress on the new Worthen Park flag-football complex during an open house held to show off the facility.



Workers use a lift to hoist into position the scoreboard for the Worthen Park flag-football field. The scoreboard was donated by Pepsi.

Federal employees association meets

The National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Chapter 1067, met at Charlie's Restaurant in Granite City on Sept. 9. Lunch was served to 38 members and one guest.

Vee Throne gave the invocation then the members repeated the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Guest speaker was Joyce Epperson, Director of Unity Advantage from St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

Unity Advantage is a program for seniors. The program began 18 months ago, and she said they have a class for 55 driving alive and there would be a fall festival in Edwardsville.

The minutes were read for the June meeting by secretary, Annette Scott and approved.

Helen Martin gave the treasurer's report and approved subject to a audit.

There were 3 new members at the Sept. meeting, Mildred Tally, Wilma Polaski, and Leo Carroll.

Charles Worster won the 50/50 drawing. Attendance was won byances Hoppi. There were 3 birthdays celebrated in September.

There was a vote taken to see if we would join the Belleville Chapter in effort to get new members to join N.A.R.E. It was decided not to do so at this time.

In another motion it was decided to give Elmer Ebert the money to buy the gifts for the Christmas party in December.

The next monthly meeting will be Oct. 14th.

BIRTHS

Miranda Jean Whittleman

KRISTA AND EDWARD WHITTLEMAN JR. of Granite City have announced the birth of their first child, a daughter.

Miranda Jean was born at 2:13 a.m. July 2, 1997, at Barnes-Jewish Hospital in St. Louis. She weighed 3 pounds, 8 ounces.

Her maternal grandparents are Dwayne and Joyce Sullivan of Collingswood.

Paternal grandparent is Jane Whittleman of O'Fallon, Mo.

Thomas Hayden Murphy

JEFFERY AND ANNE MURPHY of Granite City have announced the birth of their second child, a son.

Thomas Hayden was born at 4:31 p.m. July 2, 1997, at St. Anthony's Medical Center in Alton. He weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces and joins brother, Michael.

His maternal grandparents are Dwayne and Joyce Sullivan of Collingswood.

Paternal grandparent is Rosemary Bechtold of Godfrey.

Bethany Michelle Lindsay

TERRY AND STARLA LINDSAY of Granite City have announced the birth of their third child, a son.

Bethany Michelle was born at 1:55 p.m. July 5, 1997, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. She weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces and joins Brittney, 8, and Loni, 6.

Her maternal grandparents are the Rev. Ron Miller and Sue Rose of Sun City Center, Fla.

Jim Lindsay of Granite City is the paternal grandparent.

William Earl Davis

YELONDA LOTT AND WILLIAM DAVIS JR. of Granite City, have announced the birth of their son, a son.

William Earl was born at 1:26 p.m. July 8, 1997, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. He weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces and joins Tomara, 10, and Samuel, 8.

Her maternal grandparents are the Rev. Ron Miller and Sue Rose of Sun City Center, Fla.

Jim Lindsay of Granite City is the paternal grandparent.

Samuel Griffin Watson

KATHRYN KING AND WALLY WATSON of Granite City have announced the birth of their son, a son.

Samuel Griffin was born at 9:44 a.m. July 7, 1997, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. He weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces.

His maternal grandparents are Charles and Jacqueline King of Granite City.

His paternal grandparents are Jerry and Judy Jackson of Granite City and Don and Carol Watson of Collingswood are the paternal grandparents.

Kennedy Jean Briggs

SEAN BRIGGS AND HEATHER MATHEWS of Granite City have announced the birth of a daughter.

Kennedy Jean was born at 5:29 p.m. July 10, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces.

Her maternal grandparents are Greg and Marilyn Mathes of Granite City.

Alan James and Karen Briggs of Granite City are the paternal grandparents.

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